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IN RE PCT NATIONAL STAGE APPLICATION OF  
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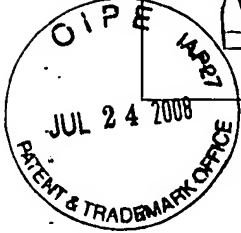
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**Terminal Disclaimer over U.S. Pat. Appl. No. 10/531,483**  
**(37 CFR 1.321(c))**

Sir:

I, Tyler A. Stevenson, represent that I am Agent of record for this invention.

Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, represents that it is the assignee of the entire interest in present app. No. **10/530,098** by virtue of an assignment recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 11, 2005, reel/frame 017068/0867.

Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of the statutory term of any patent granted on application No. **10/530,098** which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term defined in 35 U.S.C. 154 to 156 and 173 of any patent granted on U.S. Patent Application No. **10/531,483**, the application forming the basis of the double patenting rejection. The owner hereby agrees that any patent so granted on application No. **10/530,098** shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and the patent issued on U.S.

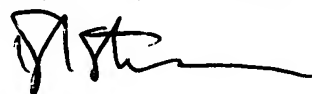
Patent Application No. **10/531,483** are commonly owned, this agreement to run with any patent granted on application No. **10/530,098** and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors and assigns.

Said U.S. Patent Application No. **10/531,483** is also entirely assigned to Ciba Specialty Chemicals Corporation by virtue of an assignment recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 24, 2006 reel/frame 017707/0909.

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